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Jefferies M&A Market Teach-In

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Executive Summary

M&A Market

Slow 2013 but lots of momentum for 2014

Public Equity Market

Market wide open for IPOs, follow-ons, etc.

Public Debt Market

Search for yield continues to drive low rates for credits across the board

Private Equity

More capital, more flexibility, more investors

Evolution of the North American Shale M&A Market

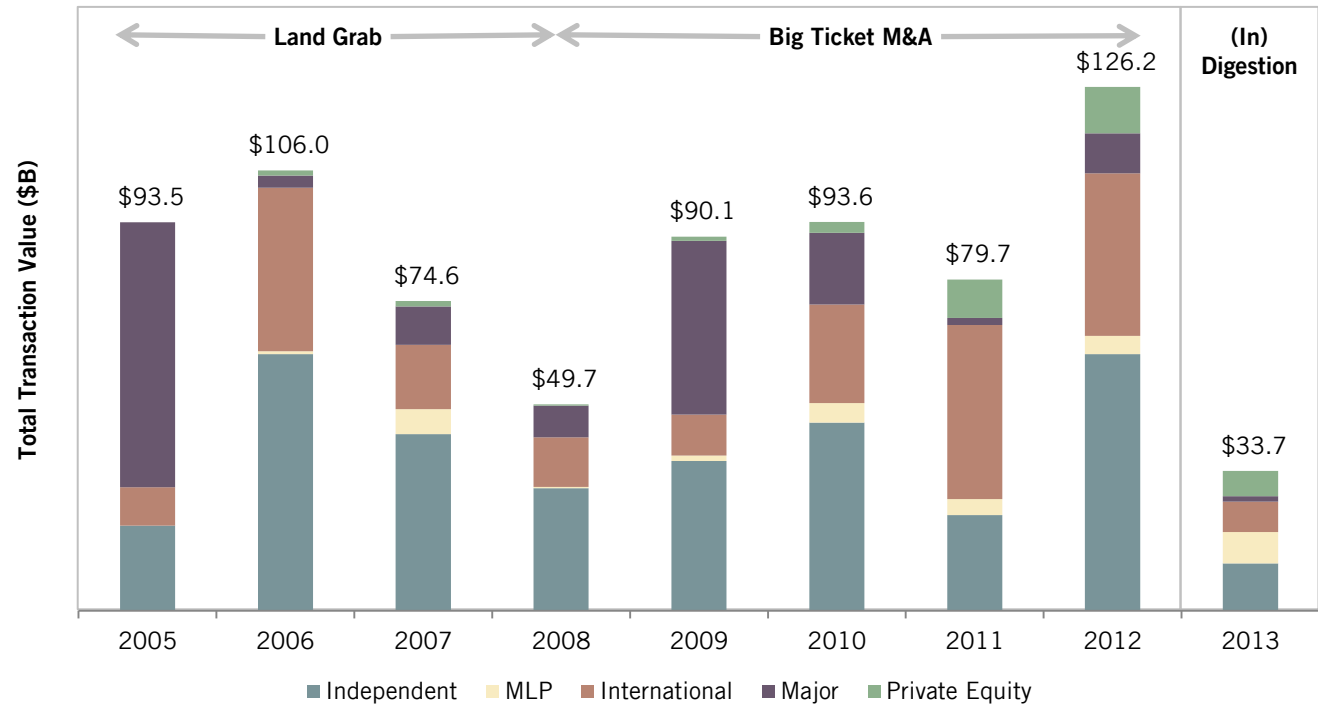
(\$Billions)

Key Points

- 3 distinct time periods in shale / resource deal flow
 - Land Grab: \$75 B per year
 - Big Ticket M&A: \$100 B per year
 - Today: ~\$40 B annualized in 2013

Era	Years	Shale / Resource	Conventional	Total
Land Grab	2005-2008	\$ 251	\$ 73	\$ 324
Big Ticket M&A	2009-2012	299	91	390
(In) Digestion	2013 YTD	20	14	34
Total		\$ 569	\$ 178	\$ 747

North American M&A (\$B) – Shale / Resource and Conventionals

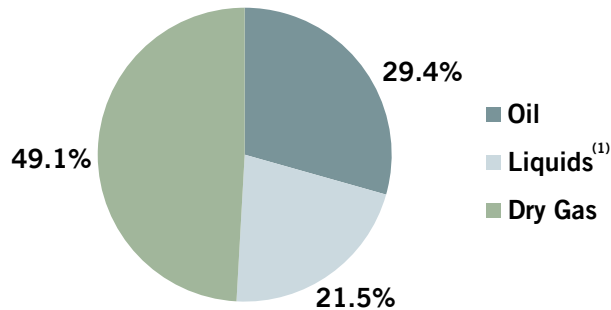


Source: IHS Herold.
Note: Includes onshore and offshore transactions greater than \$250 million.

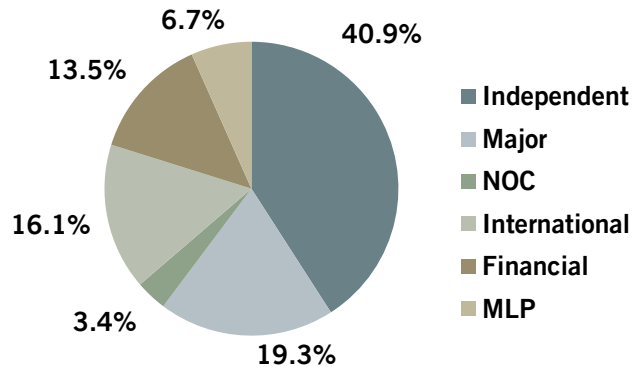
Majority of Historical Transactions Have Currently Uneconomic Undeveloped Resources

- Since 2008, there have been more than \$400 B in U.S. onshore transactions
- Of the total, 67% of the deals contain undeveloped resources that are uneconomic today
- This poor performance means that more portfolio re-shaping is inevitable

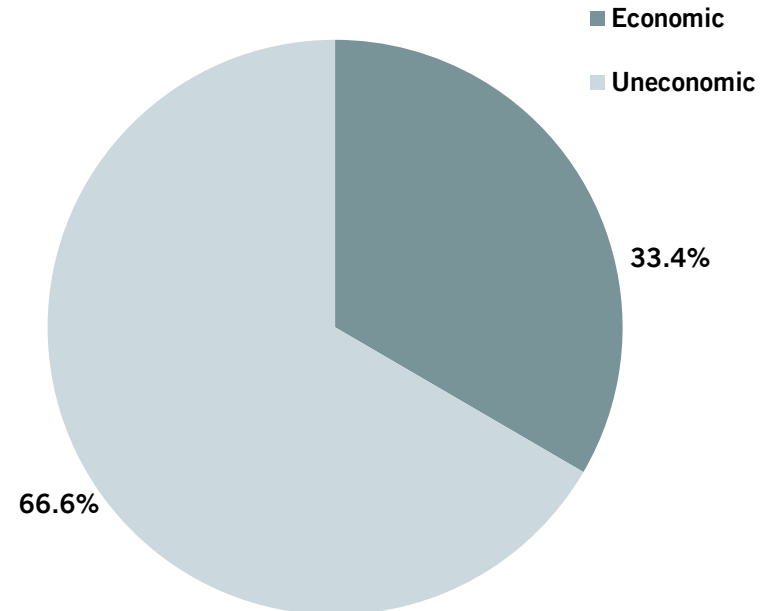
Transactions by Resource Since 2008



Transactions by Buyer Type Since 2008



% Economic Inventory⁽²⁾

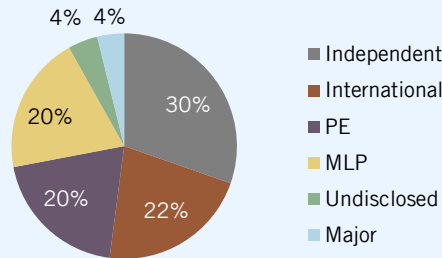


(1) Includes dry gas.
(2) Reflects Jefferies' estimates.

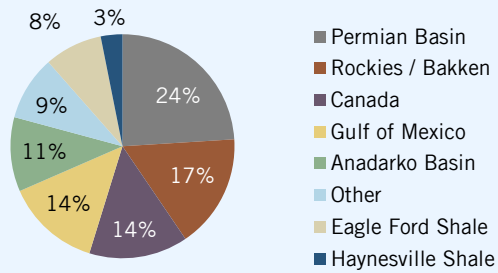
Current M&A Activity

All North American Transactions Year to Date Over \$250 Million

YTD Deal Volume by Buyer Type (\$33.7 B)



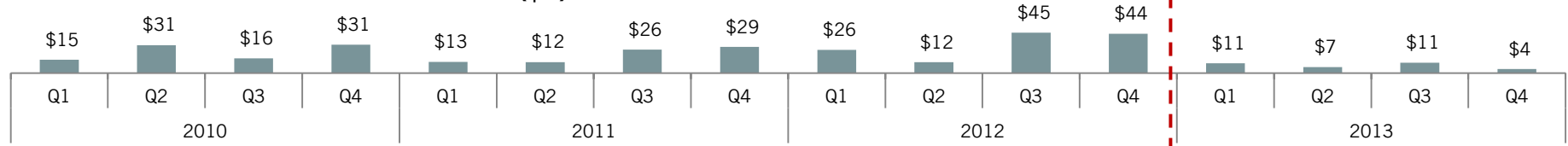
YTD Deal Volume by Basin (\$33.7 B)



- 2010–2012 average annual M&A volume of \$100+ B
- 2013 annualized M&A volume of ~\$40 B

Date	Buyer	Buyer Type	Seller	Resource Play	Transaction Value (\$MM)	Nymex 12 Month Strip	
						Oil (WTI)	Gas (HHub)
11/8/2013	Progress Energy Canada (Petrone)	International	Talisman Energy Inc.	Montney	\$ 1,430	\$ 94.41	\$ 3.58
11/6/2013	Undisclosed	Undisclosed	Penn West Exploration	Alberta	466	92.76	3.61
10/23/2013	Undisclosed	Undisclosed	Bill Barrett Corporation	Rocky Mountains	371	96.67	3.78
10/21/2013	Ultra Petroleum	Independent	Undisclosed	Uinta Basin	650	98.62	3.95
10/25/2013	Caelus Energy	Independent	Pioneer Natural Resources Company	Alaska	550	94.74	3.81
10/3/2013	Templar Energy (First Reserve)	PE	Forest Oil	Anadarko Basin	1,000	99.29	3.77
9/12/2013	Undisclosed	Undisclosed	Halcon Resources	Other	302	100.79	3.80
9/12/2013	Linn Energy	MLP	Undisclosed	Permian Basin	525	100.79	3.80
9/5/2013	Oasis Petroleum	Independent	Zenergy / Magnum Hunter	Bakken Shale	1,515	100.99	3.91
9/4/2013	EV Energy Partners (EnerVest)	MLP/PE	Carrizo Oil & Gas	Barnett Shale	268	101.79	3.90
9/3/2013	Shaanxi Yanchang Petroleum	International	Novus Energy	Western Canada	305	101.17	3.85
8/27/2013	Whiting Petroleum	Independent	Undisclosed	Rocky Mountains	260	100.16	3.81
8/12/2013	Pioneer Natural Resources	Independent	Pioneer Southwest Energy Partners	Permian Basin	636	99.70	3.55
8/8/2013	Exxon Mobil / Imperial Oil	Major	ConocoPhillips	Canada Oil Sands	720	98.94	3.56
8/5/2013	Chevron	Major	Alta Resources	Duvernay Shale	580	100.47	3.65
7/18/2013	Fieldwood Energy (Riverstone)	PE	Apache	Gulf of Mexico	3,750	100.69	3.83
7/16/2013	TORC Oil & Gas	Independent	Pengrowth Energy	Western Canada	491	100.12	3.87
7/15/2013	Memorial Production Partners	MLP	Memorial Resource Development	Permian Basin	606	99.88	3.85
7/15/2013	Meidu Holding	International	Woodbine Acquisition	Eagle Ford Shale	535	99.88	3.85
7/3/2013	EXCO (KKR)	Independent/PE	Chesapeake Energy	Eagle Ford Shale	680	95.46	3.84
7/3/2013	EXCO (KKR)	Independent/PE	Chesapeake Energy	Haynesville Shale	320	95.46	3.84
6/26/2013	Undisclosed	Undisclosed	Antares Energy Limited	Permian Basin	300	92.44	3.84
6/24/2013	BreitBurn Energy Partners	MLP	Whiting	Anadarko Basin	860	91.18	3.94
6/17/2013	WildHorse Resources (NGP)	PE	EP Energy	Eagle Ford Shale	500	96.19	3.91
6/10/2013	Atlas Energy	Independent	EP Energy	Haynesville Shale	733	94.55	3.99
6/3/2013	Kodiak Oil & Gas	Independent	Liberty Energy	Bakken Shale	660	90.93	4.12
5/31/2013	Wapiti Energy	Independent	Layline Petroleum	Gulf Coast Onshore	375	92.31	4.16
5/21/2013	EnerVest	PE	Laredo Petroleum Holdings	Permian Basin	438	95.39	4.26
4/30/2013	Contango Oil & Gas	Independent	Crimson Exploration	NEBC, Canada	428	93.15	4.50
4/23/2013	Endurance Energy (Warburg Pincus)	PE	Encana	Western Canada	395	88.76	4.40
4/15/2013	Centrica / Qatari	International	Suncor Energy	Anadarko Basin	986	91.19	4.38
4/4/2013	Midstates Petroleum	Independent	Panther Energy	Eagle Ford Shale	620	93.98	4.11
4/3/2013	Penn Virginia	Independent	Magnum Hunter Resources	Barnett Shale	401	96.54	4.17
3/29/2013	Tokyo Gas	International	Quicksilver Resources	Eagle Ford Shale	485	96.26	4.20
3/18/2013	Sanchez Energy	Independent	Hess	Permian Basin	265	93.31	4.08
3/15/2013	Rosetta Resources	Independent	Comstock Resources	Anadarko Basin	768	92.85	4.02
3/5/2013	Marubeni	International	Anadarko Petroleum	Gulf of Mexico	860	90.85	3.81
2/26/2013	Vanguard Natural Resources	MLP	Range Resources	Mississippi Lime	269	93.79	3.71
2/25/2013	Sinopec	International	Chesapeake	Permian Basin	1,020	93.77	3.60
2/21/2013	Linn Energy	MLP	Berry Petroleum	Permian Basin	4,300	95.73	3.59
1/30/2013	Sinochem	International	Pioneer Natural Resources	Rocky Mountains	1,700	97.77	3.52
1/15/2013	Denbury Resources	Independent	ConocoPhillips	Rocky Mountains	1,050	95.04	3.61
1/3/2013	Hilcorp Energy	Independent	Forest Oil	Gulf Coast Onshore	325	94.23	3.50

North American E&P Deal Volume Since 2010 (\$B)



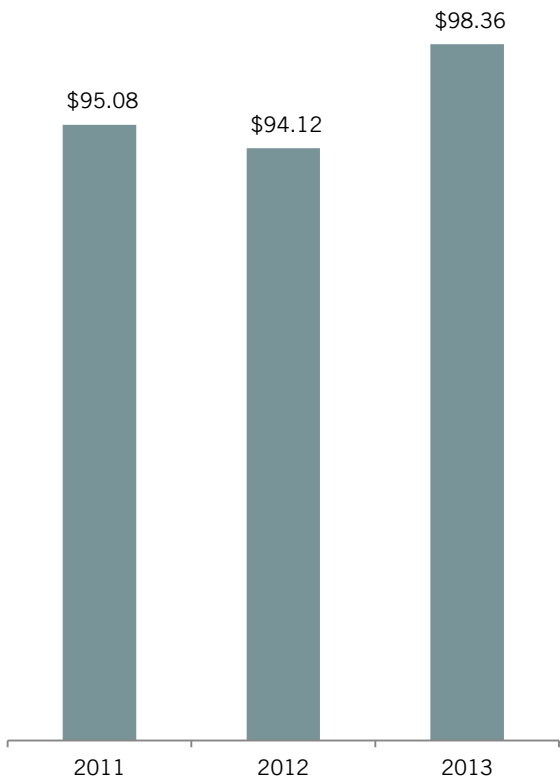
Source: IHS Herold.

Favorable Backdrop for M&A Going Forward

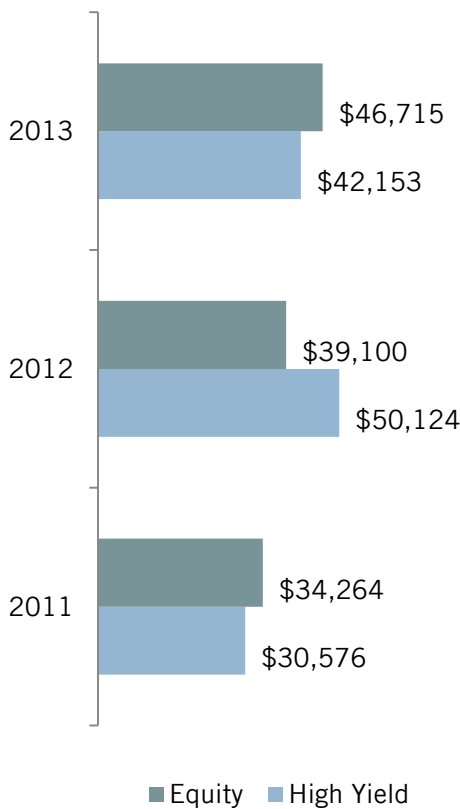
Key Points

- Current buyers are able to take advantage of robust market conditions to acquire opportunities at attractive valuations
- NYMEX WTI remains in \$90+ / Bbl range, supporting development of wide range of assets and reflects longer term positive outlook
- Financial institutions are flush with cash and are actively seeking North American E&P investment opportunities
- Historic low bond yields and historic highs in equity markets illustrate the extent to which QE has affected the market
- Continued success of unconventional plays coupled with generally sustained commodity pricing has left companies flush with cash flow

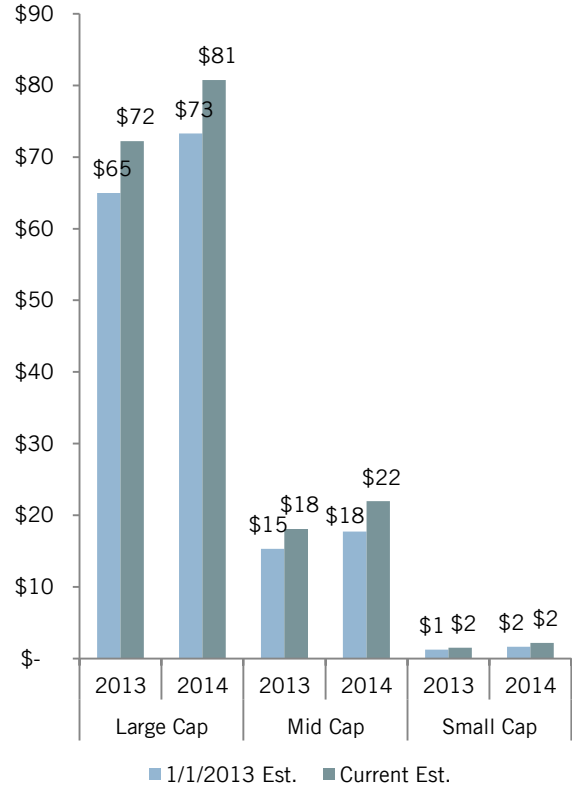
NYMEX WTI Spot Price (\$ / Bbl)



Energy Equity and High Yield Volume (\$MM)



Increasing EBITDA Estimates (\$B) ⁽¹⁾



(1) EBITDA estimates represent sum of estimates for Large Cap, Mid Cap, and Small Cap comp sets; estimates per Wall Street consensus.

U.S. Equity Markets Continue Their Strong Performance in 2013

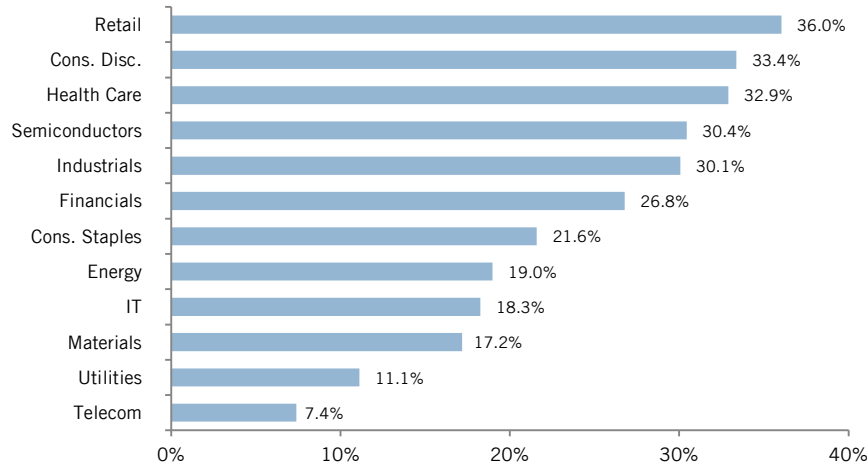
Major U.S. Indices Have Continued Marching Higher



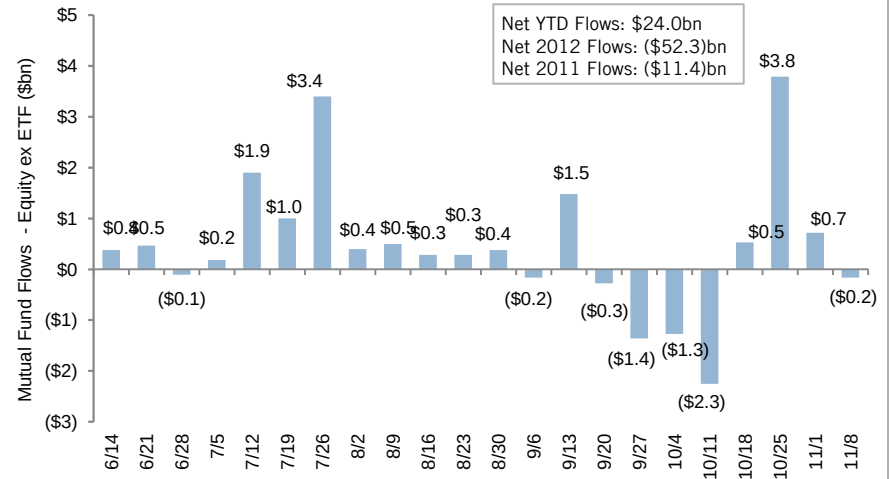
Volatility Has Remained Around the Lowest Levels Since 2007



Retail, Consumer Discretionary and Health Care Have Been the Top Performing Sectors in 2013

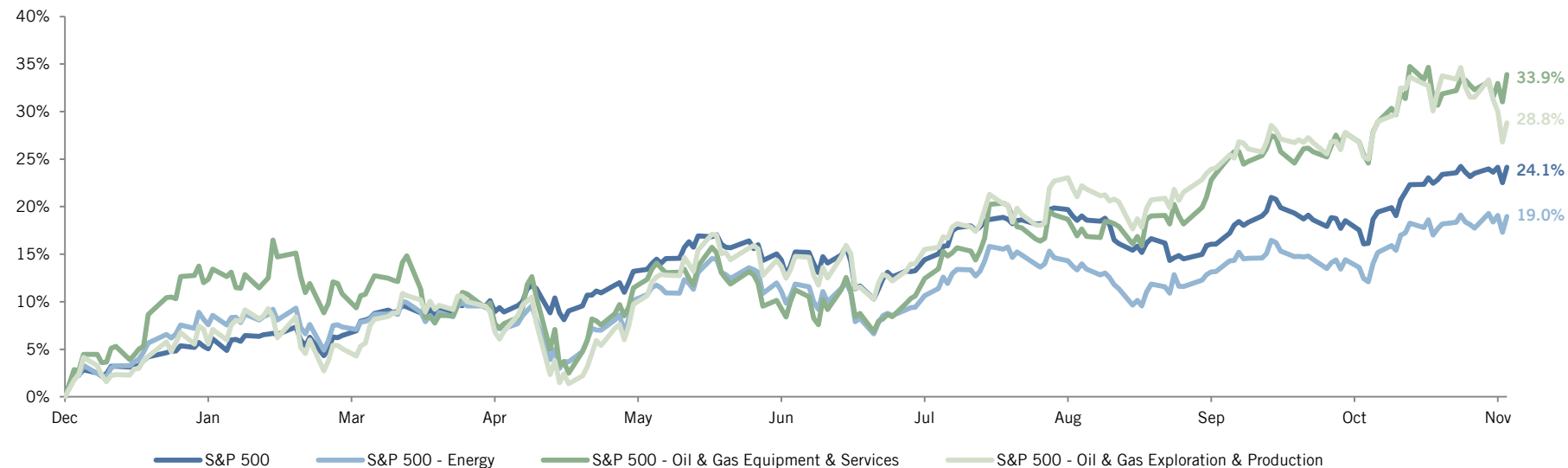


U.S. Equity Fund Flows Have Primarily Remained Positive (ex. ETFs)

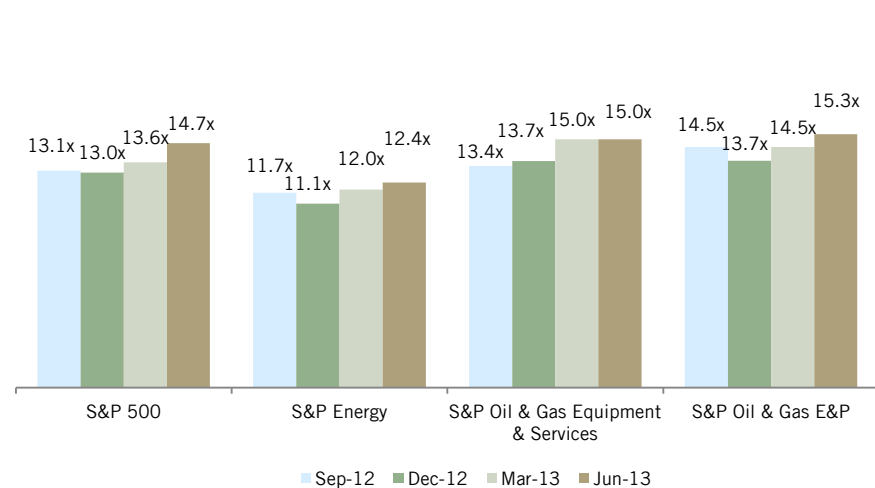


Energy Equity Market Continues to Strengthen

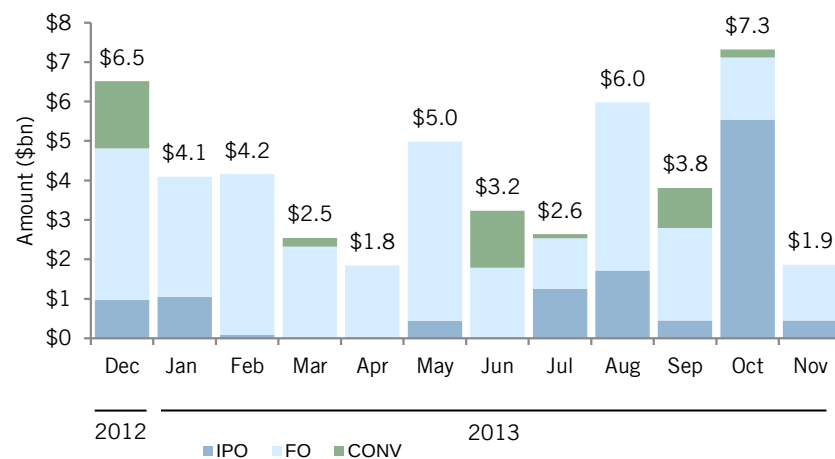
Energy Sectors Have Performed Well Year-to-date



Sector Valuations Have Recovered Off of Lows...



...And Sector Issuance Remains Active



Sources: Dealogic, Capital IQ and Bloomberg.
 Note: Valuation represents next 12 months P/E. Issuance excludes close-end funds, SPACS and offerings less than \$25 million.

Substantial Demand for E&P IPOs

Recent IPO			
Pricing Date	October 9, 2013	August 1, 2013	October 11, 2012
Size (\$MM) ⁽¹⁾	\$1,808	\$363	\$252
Offer Price	\$44.00	\$20.00	\$17.50
Performance to date ⁽²⁾	+26%	+45%	+206%
Commentary	■ Best-in-class resource assets in the Marcellus and Utica with strong operational results to date ■ Shares offered and price range were upsized due to high investor demand	■ ~100,000 net acres in the Permian Basin at IPO ■ Strong operating platform ■ Drilled 230 Wolfberry wells with a success rate of 99% prior to IPO while operating up to 8 rigs	■ ~55,000 net acres in the Permian Basin at IPO ■ Exposure to the Clearfork, Spraberry, Wolfcamp and Cline ■ Significant well inventory of ~900 locations

(1) Includes overallotment option.

(2) As of November 8, 2013.

Recent High Yield Market Trends

■ Primary Market Remains Attractive

- The primary high-yield market was very active, with 11 deals launching for \$3.7 billion
- Uncertainty around the federal government and fed policy remains a critical driver of high yield market conditions, but the market is currently open and continues to offer near record rates to issuers
- 2013 high yield volume remains on pace to surpass 2012 which was a record year with \$346 billion of issuance

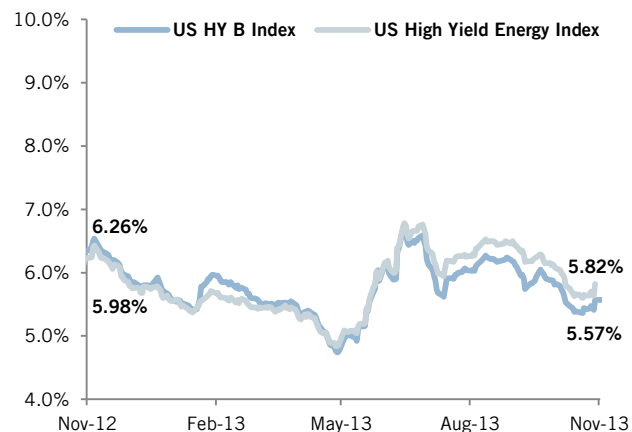
■ High Yield Inflows Return

- Retail cash flows for U.S. high yield mutual funds and ETFs experienced a dynamic \$753 million inflow this week
- Outflows this summer have remained a lingering concern, but high yield inflows have surged over the past several weeks, swinging year-to-date inflows to positive for the first time since May

■ High Yield Spreads Declining from Recent Peak

- The government shut down did not stop the strong demand for treasuries and the 10-year rate remained well below the critical 3.00% level
- Concern over Fed policy pushed the 10-year yield to a near 13-month high of over 2.90% as the market began to anticipate tapering, but the rate has retreated closer to 2.60% following the most recent bond purchases announcement
- The high yield market has shown strength and been much less volatile, with the B index remaining near 6.00% despite the uncertainty

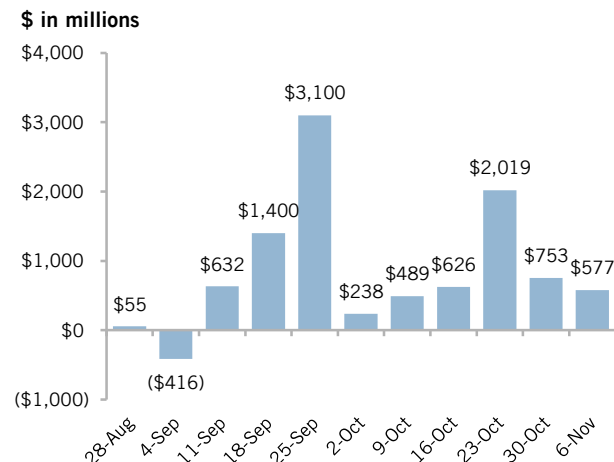
Single B Index



10-Year Treasury Yield



High Yield Mutual Funds and ETF Flows



Key Points

- | | Debt ← → Equity | | | |
|------------------|---|---|---|---|
| Security |
\$400 MM Senior Notes Placement |
\$1.25 Billion Preferred Equity Placement (CHK Utica) |
\$400 MM Eagle Ford Joint Venture |
NATURAL GAS PARTNERS
\$56 MM Common Equity Private Placement |
| Commodity |
Undisclosed Equity Commitment (Acq. PDC's Piceance Assets) |
Undisclosed Equity Commitment (Acq. Forest Oil's Mid Con Assets) |
\$216 MM Eagle Ford Joint Venture |
\$275 MM Equity Commitment |
| | Gas ← → Oil | | | |
| Maturity |
\$1.125 B Equity Commitment |
\$131 MM Eagle Ford Joint Venture |
\$300 MM Common Equity Investment |
Undisclosed Equity Commitment (Acq. Apache's GOM Assets) |
| | Early Stage ← → Mature | | | |
| Size |
\$131 MM Eagle Ford Joint Venture |
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\$4.1 B Equity Contribution (\$7 B LBO) |
| | Smaller ← → Larger | | | |

Unique Private Capital Solutions Exist for the Right Assets

Key Points

- Jefferies expects the market for these types of securities to widen, and the cost of private capital to continue to fall

Energy September 2013
Pending



\$1,700,000,000

Private Placement of Equity and Debt to an investor consortium led by **The Energy & Minerals Group (Equity) and GSO Capital Partners LP (Debt)**
Sole Financial Advisor and Sole Placement Agent

- Issuer: American Energy – Utica, LLC
- Investors: Equity investor group led by The Energy & Minerals Group and debt investor group led by GSO Capital Partners
- Deal Size: \$1.7 B
- Type of Security: Equity and Term Loan
- Type of Offering: Private Placement
- Use of Proceeds: Acquire and develop assets in the southern portion of the Utica Shale of eastern Ohio

Energy April 2012



\$1,250,000,000

Private Placement to Investors led by **GSO Capital Partners, LP**
Sole Placement Agent

- Issuer: Chesapeake Cleveland Tonkawa, LLC
- Investors: EIG Global Energy Partners, GSO Capital Partners and Magnetar Capital
- Deal Size: \$1.25 B
- Type of Security: Preferred Equity with ORRI
- Type of Offering: Private Placement
- Use of Proceeds: Distribution to CHK / Working Capital for CHK C-T

Energy June 2013



\$400,000,000

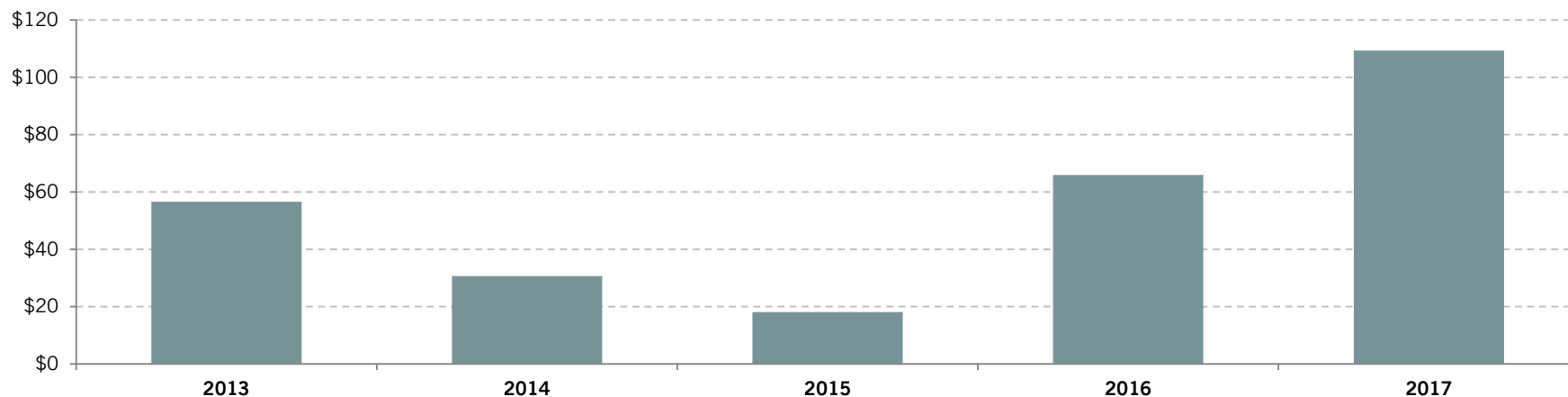
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- Issuer: Eclipse Resources I, LP, which holds ~100,000 net acres in the Utica
- Investors: GSO Capital Partners and Magnetar Capital
- Deal Size: \$400 MM; \$300 MM initially, \$100 MM over 12 months
- Type of Security: Senior Unsecured Notes
- Type of Offering: Private Placement
- Use of Proceeds: Fund acreage acquisition and provided development capital

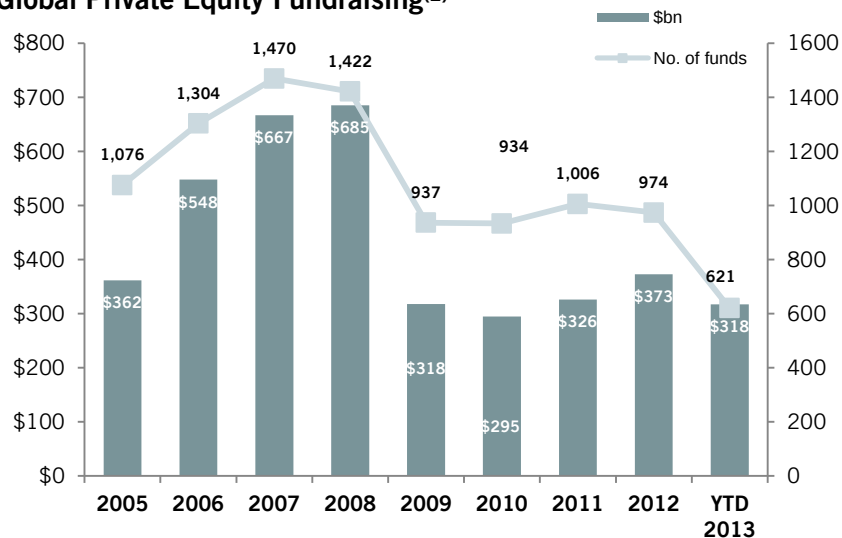
Private Equity Fund Dynamics

(\$Billions)

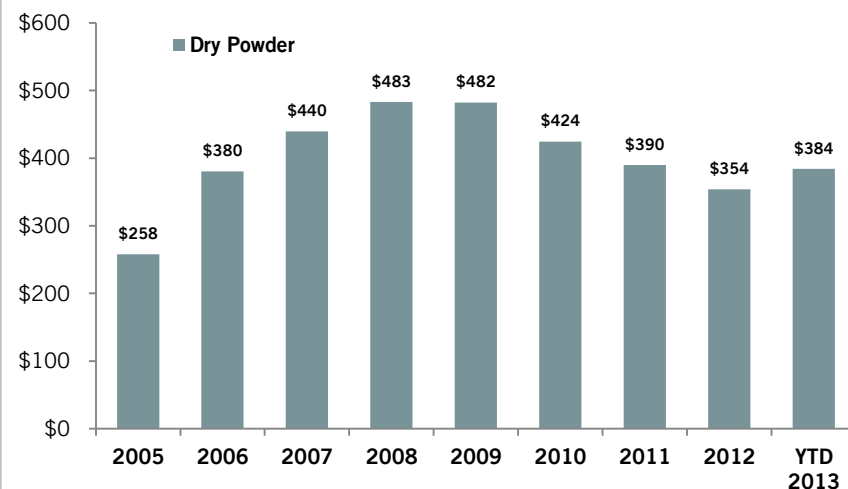
Non-Invested Capital in PE Funds by Year of Expiration⁽¹⁾



Global Private Equity Fundraising⁽²⁾



“Dry Powder” in Global Buyout Funds⁽³⁾



(1) Source: Pitchbook. Data is as of Sep 30, 2013. Assumes a five-year investment period.

(2) Source: Preqin. Includes all classes of private equity.

(3) Source: Preqin. Excludes venture capital, real estate and other funds.

Conclusions

M&A Market

- \$40 B run-rate in 2013 with strong momentum heading into 2014
- Buyer universe diversifying as MLPs and PE play more prominent role
- Multi-billion deals less likely but still occasionally will occur
- Single-well economics and huge drilling inventories driving further consolidation within individual basins

Public Equity Market

- Major U.S. indices at all-time highs, volatility remains low
- Wall Street estimates for E&P sector continue to improve with large caps leading the way
- Energy sector valuations continue to rise as issuance remains strong
 - Strong price support for liquids-rich opportunities
 - Great demand for top quality E&P IPOs

Public Debt Market

- High yield market is open and continues to offer near record rates to issuers
 - Market remains strong and much less volatile, with the B index near 6.00%, despite economic uncertainty
- 2013 high yield volume on pace to surpass record levels in 2012 with strong momentum heading into 2014

Private Equity

- Strong appetite for energy investments by generalist and energy-focused funds
- More than \$30 B estimated dry powder over next 3 years earmarked for energy investment
 - Energy capital could double assuming 50/50 debt/equity ratio
- Improving metrics in global PE fund-raising and dry powder in global buyout funds